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**Cc:** Sprague, Shirley (DPH); Phillips, Gloria (DPH)  
**Subject:** RE:Class C pharmaceuticals(tablets and pills)

Hi All, Effective immediately, all pharmaceuticals, EXCEPT CLASS E's, will be reported with a net weight on the Certificate of Analysis. This includes tablets such as Amphetamines, Hyrdocodone/Acetaminophen, Tylenol/Codeine, Clonazepam, Diazepam etc. Chemists will follow the sampling routines/guidelines set forth on page 27 of our training manual, section B (Opium Derivatives). Sections A and C of the Pharmaceutical sampling plan will no longer be followed. Tablet samples with net weights over 14 grams (trafficking) will have a separate balance check performed and documented on the analysis sheet. If anyone has any questions, please let me know. Thanks. CBS 7/25/2102

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**From:** Piro, Peter (DPH)  
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**Subject:** Balance QC

Please have the monthly balance QC done by the third week of every month. We will be checking the daily balance QC and the monthly balance QC at the same time on or before the last day of each month.

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